



# BRECKENRIDGE NEWS.

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Express. 10:10 a.m.  
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Local Freight. 10:05 a.m.

The first frost of the season fell in Dakota last week.

The Breckenridge Paper Company, of Louisville, has failed for \$250,000.

RELAUNCHING has a canning factory, which is now running to its full capacity and making 10,000 cans a day.

It is said that nothing has happened yet in the Cleveland family and that possibly Grover has lost his neck-tie.

MAJOR Tillman, cashier of the defunct Falls City Bank, Louisville, is a defaulter to the amount of \$57,000 and has fled to Canada.

RAILROAD Commissioner Jno. T. Hager has tendered his resignation to Governor Buckner. The Governor is accepting it. Mr. Hager's resignation as Secretary of State, appointed him to the vacancy.

How John Young Brown was inaugurated Governor of Kentucky last Friday yesterday with grand and imposing ceremonies. His Cabinet is as follows: Secretary of State, John W. Hendley, of Louisville; Assistant Secretary of State, S. A. Norman, of Louisville; Attorney General, A. J. Groom, of Breckenridge; Private Secretary, Arch D. Brown, of Henderson.

INDIANA Democrats will present the name of Isaac P. Gray to the next National Convention, and will urge his nomination for the first place on the ticket, says an Indianapolis correspondent.

GOVERNOR Buckner's candidacy is going to be a considerable factor in the contest leading up to that nomination, no matter where nor upon whom the conventions choice may fall.

RAILROADS smashups are becoming quite common now-a-days, and more frequent as travel increases. In North Carolina the other day a passenger train crossed a bridge over a creek, and the train, dashing the whole cargo into the creek below, a distance of fifty feet, killing sixty people instantly. There on the Texas we are not free from disaster, but fortunately for that, no people, no lives have been sacrificed as yet.

It appears from an article we take from the Courier-Journal this week that Governor Buckner will not be in the race for Congress from this district next year. The News would not favor Governor Buckner's candidacy if he were disposed to enter the race. There are numbers of men in the Fourth district who would prefer to him. The truth is, it is about time that Breckenridge county should furnish a representative to Congress from the Fourth district, and it behooves the party to hasten him out.

ALTHOUGH the Alliance Party is ridiculed and routed from first to last and start to finish in this county at the late election, yet some of them continue to boast as to what they intend to do for the Democracy in the future. Yet, chin music is cheap, and that's what they have had too much of for their own good. Our advice is to the Alliance to get out of politics and stick to the principle of their order. Down in Mississippi, where they are into it on a big scale, the leaders have come to blows and a dissolution of the Alliance is imminent.

The numerous speeches made by President Harrison last week from the platform of his private car, while passing through the state, were as usual, as pleased his hearers, and brought forth rounds of applause. As a speaker the President might be considered a success, but as politician and a leader of his party, he is set down as a failure. His administration has been a blank, so far as uniting his party upon any definite line of policy is concerned during the last four years, and they say he must go. Blaine is about the tallest man in the Republican camp just now, and he will walk into their next National Convention with an immense following if he wants it.

The Courier-Journal says, "Governor Buckner's friends in the Fourth Congressional district are talking about running him for Congress, and are hunting up precedents to show that a seat in Congress has not been thought beneath the dignity of other ex-Governors. But Governor Buckner himself entertains no such ambition. He will retire to his farm in Hart county as soon as released from his duties as delegate to the Constitutional Convention, and will spend the winter there, leaving next spring with Mrs. Buckner and young Bellinger for a two years' tour in foreign lands. He had intended to start earlier, but has been compelled to change his plans. Governor Buckner is in this city a short time last week looking pleased at the prospect of an early release from official cares. He says he has no desire for a seat in Congress."

**Dentistry.**  
Dr. J. P. Williams, of the office of Dr. W. B. Arran, Owensboro, Ky., will be in Cloverport, September 21st, 1891, and will remain there ten days, attending to all first-class dental work will do well to call on him at Dr. S. R. Watkins' office, and you will be treated promptly, get good work at reasonable prices.

Davis Quilter is sold all over the United States.

# HARDINSBURG DEPARTMENT.

V. G. BARRAGE, Editor.

L. M. & W. TIME TABLE.

Passenger Daily arr. Hardinsburg, 12:05 p.m. COAST VERT.

Passenger Daily arr. Hardinsburg, 8:55 a.m. COAST VERT.

Davis Quilter is the best thing out.

Clothing at your own price at Beal & Beal's.

Wallace Skillman returned home last Saturday.

\$200 per month is made by selling Davis Quilter.

Jim Hook has gone to Louisville to remain permanently.

Mrs. A. M. DeJernette has moved into her new house in the west end.

Mrs. R. M. Jolly, Irvington, was visiting Mr. J. B. Hensley last week.

Ladies who are specially invited to call and see Davis Quilter work.

Mrs. S. S. Payne and daughter have returned to their home in Ohio.

Mr. Arthur Board the popular drummer was in the city last Saturday.

Prof. Father has been having repairs put on the Catholic church.

The Catholics will give a picnic in their grove near town next Saturday.

Mrs. Nannie Watkins was here last week a few days visiting her mother.

Mr. John Hook has moved into the Miller property in the south end of town.

An agency for some county on Davis Quilter will beat the best farm in the county.

Mr. G. P. Jolly has been confined to his home by sickness for the past two weeks.

If you don't see what you want in the News this week it is because it didn't happen.

Mr. Frank Beavin, Cloverport, was here last week and qualified as county Surveyor.

Go to Mr. Monroe at Monroe & Son's store for fancy goods, ladies' dress trimmings, etc.

Hensley and Jolly report that they have sold seventy-five tons of fertilizer the present season.

Mr. Jesse Whitworth was elected Secretary of the Methodist Sunday school last Sunday.

Wiat Sinsnet lying near Lost Run church died suddenly last Saturday.

He was eighty years old.

More money made in selling Davis Quilter than any other business, give it a trial and be convinced.

Life is short and time is precious, so get an agency for Davis Quilter and make your money big and quick.

Now is the time to get into a money making business. So secure an agency for Davis Quilter at Hardinsburg, Ky.

Mrs. Maggie Shumate arrived last Saturday to take charge of the primary department in Prof. Shacklett's school.

The Baptist Association meets here the 17th inst. It is expected that there will be about forty preachers in attendance.

Wm. J. Bell has closed out his store here and goes with his brother, Mat, to take charge of the leading cars on the Texas.

Mr. James Bishop will move his family to Louisville the 12th of this month. Mr. Stuart DeJernette has rented his property.

Mr. T. C. Craig, Louisville, was in the city last Saturday. He has commenced buying hickory timber on the I. & H. & W. railroad.

It is said that there is now one hundred car loads of timber and other freight down on the I. & H. & W. ready to be run out.

People don't care how much freight Mr. McCracken runs out over this road but they dislike very much to be forced to ride behind it.

The Standard Horse and Cattle Food sold by Beal & Beal is practical, reliable, healthful and economical. Now is the time to use it.

Try a box of the Standard Horse and Cattle Food sold by Beal & Beal. Begin to use while your stock is healthy and keep off disease.

Do you want a suit of clothes very cheap? If so, now is your time. Beal & Beal are offering great bargains in their clothing department.

Mrs. Felix Moore has opened up a full line of ladies' furnishing goods, dress trimmings, etc., in the room above J. Monroe & Son's store. Give her a call.

Ladies, you can make a nice eight point suit in one half of an hour's time and a nice quilt in one hour's time on your own sewing machine with Davis Quilter.

Mr. James Durham is one of the most successful tobacco raisers in the county. Last Friday he sold five hogheads to W. J. Dean & Son, Glendale, which brought him \$894.00.

Mr. Melville Edridge came up from Owensboro last Thursday to visit his relatives. He had a very severe attack of typhoid fever, but is recovering rapidly.

It is reported that there is to be two weddings in this town before Christmas. Sorry we can't hear of any more. Don't know so well about these two, but they say one of them is good certain.

Dr. D. C. Ayers, of Glenview, I. & C. county, was in the city a few days last week visiting Dr. C. N. Mosely. They were school-mates together in the Cincinnati Medical College a few years ago.

Killing dogs has been a luxury to some people about this town for a week. The Marshal gets fifty cents for every dead dog he drops off the street and he doesn't care if the business continues until Christmas. The reason is, he has had his old fuses loaded for a dog for the last two weeks but none have wandered his way.

If they would put some of that stuff into our gas well that blow up. Hell Gate perhaps they could raise something. As the thing stands now it's getting very uncertain and besides Jeff Hook is getting tired looking at the hole.

Mr. John P. Haswell, the Postmaster of this place was consulted last Saturday in regard to the late order of the Postmaster General which requires postmasters living at the county seats to sell all the post-offices in the county and make a report thereon. Mr. Haswell said he had just received the order and hadn't had much time to think about it. He thought it would be a considerable job to go through to visit all the offices and incur the expense himself. There are thirty-seven offices in the county and it would take sometime to visit all of them. The report must be in by the 10th of October.

The Colored Teachers' Institute held here last week was a success in every sense. Like all new things it was the subject of much speculation, but a short observation of their work was sufficient to convince any one of the earnest desire of the Colored Teachers to raise their professional standard to a dignified plane. Prof. John H. Jackson, of the State Normal, was conductor and he was assisted by his wife, an educated, refined and accomplished lady. Mr. and Mrs. Jackson, in giving their methods of teaching exhibited plans that were unquestionably valuable to all teachers, white or colored, and displayed a knowledge of theory and science of pedagogy that comes only by years of experience and devoted application to the teacher's work. All the colored teachers of this county and a number from Meade were in attendance and they manifested an exemplary interest in their profession. When called into discussion they offered no excuses, but responded promptly, and every thought—and there were many good ones—was expressed in creole and English. The whole work displayed native tact and talent, which if properly developed will insure the future well being of the Negro race. The Institute closed with a lecture at the Court-house Friday night, by Prof. Jackson, that was an excellent specimen of logic and diction. Breckenridge county can justly be proud of this branch of educational interest.

**Be-are of Ointments for Carrath that contain Mercury.**

As mercury will surely destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the whole system which conducts it through the mucous surfaces. Such articles should never be used except on prescriptions from reputable physicians, as the damage they will do is ten fold to the good you can possibly derive from them. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O., contains no mercury, and is taken internally, and acts directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. In buying Hall's Catarrh Cure be sure you get the genuine. It is taken internally, and made in Toledo, Ohio, by F. J. Cheney & Co.

Sold by Druggists, 75c.

**GUSTON.**

Mr. Matt. Sumners and daughter, of Elizabethtown, are visiting Mr. J. B. Smith.

Mr. Willie Brown, of Louisville, is taking a short vacation near our town this week.

Mr. Sam. W. Carlen, of Fordville, is spending a few days with his uncle, Mr. R. J. Patteson.

The dance given last Friday night by Messrs. Osborne & Ackerson was quite a success and largely attended.

Mrs. Carrie Hall, who made such a short stay with Miss Lela Lewis, of Brandenburg, is now visiting at the Falls of Rough.

It is a caution to notice the miscellaneous express that daily leaves our depot platform, our merchants are dealing in everything from a lame goose to a car load of wheat, that is the way to keep down alive and may they continue to do so.

Messrs. R. M. Jolly and W. G. Pigott have purchased a two-third interest in the Irvington flouring mill, and knowing them to be clever and straightforward business men, we feel assured of their success in their new undertaking.

Mr. and Mrs. Eli H. Dean, of the Falls of Rough, are visiting Mrs. Dean's father, Mr. John Fisher. For fine grapes, water melons, peaches, and true hospitality one need not go any further than Mr. Fisher's for he have been there and fully know whereof we speak.

There was a great game of base ball played in the Sandy Hill neighborhood last week, between the Gamettsville and Webster teams, the score standing 11 to 9 in favor of the Websters. There were several fine double plays made, but the most notable feat of the game were the two fly balls captured by Messrs. Kurtz and Skillman, and by the way there are no flies on Douglas of Gamettsville as a ball puzler.

Your correspondent had the pleasure on the 28th inst. of seeing on the farm of Mr. M. S. Bewley, one of the much talked and read of "belled buzzards," it had swung to its neck an ordinary sized sheep head, which of course rang when the bird would fly. Mr. Bewley, the gentleman on whose farm the bird was seen, says he thinks it is the same bird killed in Texas in 1856 while he lived in that State. There are two lines on record that carry him, one was killed in Texas the other in Missouri. For further information on this subject we refer you to Mr. Bewley.

**Gratifying to All.**

The high position attained and the universal acceptance and approval of the pleasant liquid fruit remedy Syrup of Figs, as the most excellent laxative known, illustrate the value of the medicine on which its success is based and are abundantly gratifying to the California Fig Syrup Company.

# BRANDENBURG.

Miss Addie Ditto has returned to Louisville.

Mrs. J. L. Mallin leaves for Pineville Wednesday.

Mr. Albert S. Richardson has returned from Vine Grove.

Miss Eva Richardson is visiting Miss Lena Richardson.

Miss Mand Herndon has returned from a visit to Cloverport.

Mr. D. W. Fairleigh and family recently returned to Louisville Saturday.

Mr. Davis Young and daughters, of Sandy Hill, spent Sunday here.

Messrs. John Frakes and Chas. Drury attended the Corydon fair two days.

Three of Mr. William Allen's family are seriously ill with typhoid fever.

Miss Georgia Moremen took first premium on a buck and silk cravat quilt.

Mr. Nelson McConlogue and Miss Ina Mallin spent Saturday in Big Spring.

Mrs. Andy Bickertaff and Miss Ollie Adkinson spent last week at Corydon.

Mr. J. D. Babbage and family visited Messrs. Abe and William Ditto last week.

Mr. Tim Simmons has another daughter in his family, a son, born Friday night.

Prof. Frank McNeill and family will accept a portion of Mrs. M. G. Green's residence.

Mr. J. S. Moremen exhibited the horse from Glen Point Stock Farm at the Corydon fair.

Mr. Chas. Drury and sister, Miss Lena, visited their sister, Mrs. John Frakes, here last week.

Mr. Jim Smith left for Colorado last week, his family will remain here for some time yet.

Miss Mattie Leo Moremen went to Bewleyville the latter part of last week to visit her aunt, Mrs. Chas. Drury.

Miss Georgia Moremen left Saturday for a visit of several weeks in Bardonia, she will also attend the Elizabethtown fair.

Mrs. Henry Harrington was called to Louisville Sunday by the severe illness her brother, Mr. Sumners, who has typhoid fever.

Hon. A. W. Moremen's horse, Hermon, took two first premiums and Addie D. first premium, in general utility ring at the Corydon fair.

Rev. Hagan, who has been assisting here, will in the past week have been an earnest worker and the services were well attended.

The meeting at the Baptist church closed Sunday night with several additional services. They were immensely Sunday after the morning services.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Casperke, Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Coleman, Mr. Wright and daughter, Dr. Melton, Will Woolfolk and Will Atwell took in the Corydon fair last week.

Mrs. Agnes Bicketts, who has been here for a week past received a telephone message last Friday afternoon, stating that her grandson, Curtis Black, son of Dr. Black, of Louisville, and student at Kentucky Medical Institute, had been shot, she left immediately for Louisville. Have heard none of the particulars.

**TOBINSPOUT, IND.**

Farmers are busy plowing for wheat.

Thomas Leaf has returned from Illinois.

Mr. Merrill made a flying trip here last week.

Mr. Nat. Ahl has returned to his home in Illinois.

Cal Weatherholt visited relatives in Owensboro last week.

Miss Carrie Kreibler, of Tell City, is the guest of Miss Mattie Allen.

Bailey, the shoe drummer, was interviewing our merchants this week.

Mrs. Fannie Groves, of Newburg, Ind., visited her brothers, Waldo and Conrad Simons, the past week.

George Polk, our trustee, spent last week in Rome putting new benches in Ebenezer school house.

Prof. Moore, representing Carter Bros. of Louisville, paid our merchants a visit a few days ago.

Miss Esther Auckerman, of Rome, after a pleasant visit by her cousin, Miss Mary Groves, has returned home.

Mrs. Joseph Simons and son, John, and Miss Mattie and Maggie Allen, spent Sunday in Tell City, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Kreibler. They also attended the Sangreto, which they say was excellent.

**Notice.**

I have closed out my stock of drugs to Short & Haynes. I now desire to get up all my outstanding accounts and ask those indebted to me to call at once and settle.

J. W. OWEN.

**For Sale or Exchange for a Farm.**

I will sell or exchange my property in Cloverport, W. Va., consisting of store room and dwelling of fourteen rooms and all accessories—out-buildings, a good live stock, containing thirty stalls. The lot is 100x150 ft., is situated on the corner of a good business location. For further information call on or address

WM. HALL,

West End, Cloverport, Ky.

**LAND FOR SALE.**

This fine lot in Breckenridge county, on the west side of the present line of the Louisville & Nashville R.R., is 200 feet wide and 100 feet deep. It will sell as a whole or divide in two to suit purchasers. For further information address

W. W. LEWIS,

Owensboro, Ky.

**Executor's Notice.**

On Thursday, 19th day of September, 1891, I will offer for sale, at the post office of the said Milton M. Tate, deceased, about two miles from the town of Bardonia, Ky., all the real property belonging to said estate, consisting of

horses, cattle, hogs, calves, sheep, corn, wheat and hay, farming implements, house and kitchen furniture.

Terms will be made known on day of sale.

BEN T. MILLER, Ex'r.

**Do You Want A FARM?**

**Do You Want A HOUSE AND LOT?**

**Do You Want A GOOD DWELLING?**

**Do You Want A Tobacco Warehouse?**

**All located in and near Cloverport. If so now is your chance**

**Valuable Real Estate HOUSES & LOTS**

**SOLD**

As administrator of the estate of T. N. Warfield, deceased, I will offer for sale until November 1st, 1891, at private or public sale, the following described property in and near the city of Cloverport:

**A Tract of 190 Acres**

More or less of good land, lying on Clover Creek, three miles from Cloverport, near the John Hardin place, with improvements. Also 100 acres Woodland lying near the above tract. This is fine land, produces well and will be sold at a bargain.

**160 Acre Tract**

In Hancock county, near Patesville with improvements, occupied at this time by Ben Shadrack. This is also a fine tract of land with good improvements and suitable for a small farmer. A bargain for somebody.

**One Lot with Large Tobacco Warehouse on it**

Near the upper landing in the city of Cloverport, capable of handling a million pounds of tobacco.

**One House and Lot**

In said city, fronting on High street running back 400 feet to Houston or Railroad street, with a two story dwelling and L and other out buildings, occupied at present by A. S. English as a private hotel.

**A Tract of 10 Acres,**

of unimproved property lying within the corporate limits of Cloverport. Terms reasonable. Call on the undersigned in Cloverport.

**F. FRAIZE, Adm'r,**

T. N. WARFIELD, Dec.

Also for sale one

**House and Lot**

in Stephensport.

**95 Acres**

of good land on Bull Creek, near John Ahl's, with improvements.

**97 Acres**

of good land, very well improved, near Cloverport, on the Patesville road.

**60 Acres**

with improvements in Hancock county, two miles from Cloverport, on the Patesville road.

Terms reasonable. Must sell to pay debts. Call and see me.

**F. FRAIZE,**

CLOVERPORT, KY.

**Finest when Freshest!**

Ice Cream on a warm day is a dish for the gods. But you don't want to go to sleep between mouthfuls. Its movement should be from freezer to mouth direct. It is

**Finest When Freshest.**

A hot juicy beefsteak is another delicacy. But if you think there is no added charm in the fact of its being "Fresh from the Broiler," just let that steak lie around for awhile. It's now the same steak still, but, Great Scott, what a change. Just so it is with the

**GROCERIES**

You use every day, are you sure they are of the Freshest, if not you should purchase of

**VEST.**

**ANNOUNCEMENT**

OF THE

**-Hardinsburg Normal Institute-**

The Fall term of twenty weeks will begin

**Monday, August 31st, 1891.**

The Spring term of sixteen weeks will begin

**Monday, January 18th, '92.**

The Summer term of eight weeks will begin

**Monday, May 6th, '92.**



**SCHOOL BOOKS**  
**SCHOOL SUPPLIES.**  
Wholesale, and Retail.  
**JNO. D. BARBAGE,**  
Clevelandport, Ky.

**BRECKENRIDGE NEWS.**  
WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 2, 1891.  
**TAKING BACHELORS.**  
What Has Been Done in Wyoming Might Be Done Elsewhere.

The Wyoming Legislature has passed a law taxing bachelors a year. Whether the fact that women vote has anything to do with this new departure I don't know, but why isn't it a just tax? Society says to a woman: "It's your business to be married as soon after you have your debut as possible. Otherwise you'll be called an old maid, and then there can be no epithet more odious. But you can choose a husband. That would be most unwomanly. You must wait to be asked."

The result is that the average woman takes what offers—not what she wants, rather than risk her chances on the future; and men stalk about literally the lords of creation. Well, if these lords don't choose to take upon themselves the responsibilities of matrimony, why should they not pay a penalty? Just so long as women are taxed for living in single blessedness, just so long ought married men to be taxed. This tax would begin at the age of 30, and be doubled every five years, unless a bachelor proves that he is not engaged in love or is true to some noble Maria whose memory is dearer to him than the smiles of a new yet alive.

Poverty, perhaps might be an extenuation of the offense; in this case it would be well to make the bachelor work out his tax in some way useful to the state, while the victims of blighted affection could be utilized in charitable organizations.

The more I think this matter over the more righteous I think the tax. If rigidly enforced it might relieve the embargo on women. When the sexes stand on equal ground it will be in order to talk both bachelors and old maids.—Kate Field's Washington.

**We Can Do And**  
Guarantee Dr. Acker's Blood Elixir, for it has been fully demonstrated to the people of this country that it is superior to all other preparations for blood diseases. It is a positive cure for erysipelas, poisoning, Ulcers, Eruptions and Pimples. It purifies the whole system and thoroughly builds up the constitution. For sale by W. W. Short, Clevelandport, Ky., and Witt & Mendon, Louisville, Ky.

It was the turn on a cold, and natural gas was first struck in the Findlay, O. district, and he was telling some of us about it as we waited in the depot at Columbus.

"Wall, you know," he began, "my son Bill was a great hand to read. One day he laid away a book he had been reading and says to me: 'Dad, I've been reading up on minerals and I've got to find out your right here on our farm.'"

"School, Bill," says I, "but you won't be able to find out of a book of rocks and worms."

"But he went at it and began to dig and here and there he found some things to be the corn, and one day he struck something. There came such an infernal smell that both of us went down to the house, and then the smell got so bad that we were driven to a neighbor's, and we had to be the legs of the pen, or they would have kicked over."

"Bill," I says, when I got where I could breathe again, "you said you'd strike something, and you have. You've struck three months' time getting down to wader Christopher Columbus buried about a thousand feet down, and we've all been down to the farm in consequence. It's my turn now to strike something, and you kin get ready for the all-around kick-in a boy over."

"I give it to him, gentlemen, and then I went spoolin' around to find somebody who'd buy the farm at about the cost of the barn. A fellow who seemed to be natural and didn't mind the smell closed upon a deal with me, and I had to grin as I walked off with his money under my arm. I kept on grinin' for about a week, but then I heard some news that stopped me, and I guess it's three years since I've opened my mouth sideways. These deal cases was worth a hundred thousand dollars to me, and I sold 'em for \$800 and walked around patting myself on the back for a year or so all-fired cute."—New York Sun.

For tired feeling, loss of appetite and general debility there is no remedy equal to "C. C. C. Certain Kid Cure." Sold by Short & Haynes.

**THE WATERMELON.**  
How to Eat One, the Best Preparation Being to Steal It.  
"What's the best way to eat a watermelon?" inquired a citizen.  
"That depends," said another. Henry Grady once gave his method, and it was a good one for eating melons honestly obtained, but if you want to eat a melon to get the full flavor of it, imagine yourself a boy again, and, after sneaking into a patch, crawl over the field until you get the one you want and then get over the fence with it and sit down in a corner. Then break it open and eat while watching through the cracks of the fence for the owner of the patch. Grady's idea was to go out in the cool of the morning before the sun dried the dew, though the melons till one gave back the proper sound, and then with a short-bladed knife give a rake all round the long way. Throw away the knife and give the melon a smack on your knee. The melon parts and leaves all the heart on one half. Take that heart out with your fingers and eat it. But it can never taste as good as if stolen. Some people slice the melon the short way, and then put the slices on plates. To my mind that's a flimsy way. The old-fashioned long slice is one of the best ways after all.  
"How can you tell a ripe melon by thumping it? They all thump alike to me." This from a young man, city raised.  
"It's the easiest matter in the world," said a man who some time of his life had risen with the lark and plowed his task of furrow, "and any man who has ever lived on a farm will never make a mistake. You are right about the thumping sound being nearly the same always, and unless a melon is left green and an experienced eye can tell that without thumping it, there is but the very slightest difference in the sound, that is, apparently. But to the man of experience there is a big difference. I can tell certainly by a couple of thumps whether a melon is part ripe, a little under ripe or a little over ripe. But a better way for those who have not mastered the art of thumping is to scratch the rind the least bit. The rind of a ripe melon is tender and easily scratched, and turns black immediately. The rind on a green melon is tough and requires several minutes to turn dark."  
—Mason M. Telegraph.

DeWitt's Sassafras cleanses the blood, increases the appetite and tones up the system. It has benefited many people who have suffered from blood disorders. It will help you.—Sold by G. W. Short.

**A FIETTY ROMANCE.**  
A gifted San Francisco Young Woman Artist Had an Interesting Story.

People who noticed in The Examiner window a splendid cast of the head of Sir John Bull will be interested to hear the pretty romance of the young artist whose model was Miss Alice Ride-out, a young lady of less than 15 years of age, who has already shown such talent that the lady artist's taste took rank among the best of artists that the Pacific slope can claim as its own.

Her first start in her chosen profession can be directly traced to a large English mastiff owned by her family, although her artistic aspirations date back to her early childhood. One day, accompanied by the mastiff, she passed the open door of a sculptor's studio. The animal rushed in, with apparent liberation, knuckled over the pedestal upon which was placed for exhibition the artist's latest work. An arm and leg were shattered, and the piece lay a searing wreck on the floor. The attendant was horrified.

The girl endeavored to make excuses for the dog, but nothing would answer. Offers were made to pay for the damage, but to no avail. The man, dreading that upon the artist's return he would lose his position, was unmovable. The girl begged to be allowed to replace the piece, and after repeated entreaties the man consented, with the remark that while he did not believe it could be fixed, he was very certain she could not injure it. He missed the clay, for her, and watched with the keenest interest the work she did the work that the accomplished artist had so lately finished and taken so much pride in. An hour passed with most gratifying results. The arm was restored and was perfect; the attendant was happy.

Another hour the leg approached completion, when, lo, the artist appeared on the scene. He took in the situation at a glance, and, surrounded by the occupants of the room watching the work finished, explanations are in order and given. The artist is charmed, declares the work of restoration has added new charms to the piece, and having heard from the girl the great ambition of her life, went with her to her home and insisted that her parents should allow her an opportunity to learn the art for which she evidently had so much inherent talent.—San Francisco Examiner.

Thousands and tens of thousands of bottles of "C. C. C. Certain Kid Cure" are sold yearly and the people are constantly clamoring for them. They know a good thing when they try it! Sold by Short & Haynes.

Little girl—"To-morrow will be Sunday won't it?"  
Lad—"Yes. How do you expect to spend your day?"  
Little girl—"Wishing is Monday?"

Don't suffer your children to suffer with a cough, when "C. C. C. Certain Kid Cure" cures all cough and croup sufferers.

A woman came after The very first man; And that is how The trouble began. Baltimore American.

Doctor—"Did you have a heavy child?"  
Fair patient—"It seemed so."  
Doctor—"Did your teeth chatter?"  
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**THE RODEO.**  
Down in the dark canyons we ride in a lark. The center sweep by in their martial hurry, Gone into the wind are the longer and worry. Down to the west with the platoon move, Hal there is the lord of the hills and the valley. It is he that leads in the midnight valley, High into the steep where the gray chaparral lies. It's the best leads to the long lagoon. Where the wild mustang splashes the slope with yellow. He has turned at bay. Oh, the powerful fol-lies! See the team of his head! hear the breath and the bellows! How he tears the ground with his angry hoofs! Now he breaks a wild path thro' the desert, plucky rascal. He had tried high on a tamarack husk, Right on thro' a glory of crimson he crashes— On into the gloom under leafy rocks. Oh, the joy of the wind in our faces! We follow. The cattle: we about down the poppy haze. See out of the cliff we have startled the swal-low. And startled the echoes on rocky falls. Ho! what was it passed? were they pigeons or sparrows? That whirled away like a hurricane of arrows! The rose of the thickets, the deep gorge narrows. Now he hard swings down thro' the scented dells. Speed! speed! leave the larks to their pebbles and prattle. Sweep with the thunder and surge of the cattle. The heavy, the shouting the wild cry of battle. The hills, and the wind, and the open light. Now on into camp by the sycamore shade. Now over the gutter let the light flags wa-ver. Let thoughts in the high heart grow pent and fonder. There stars and the dreams of a summer night. —Charles E. Markham in Overland Monthly.

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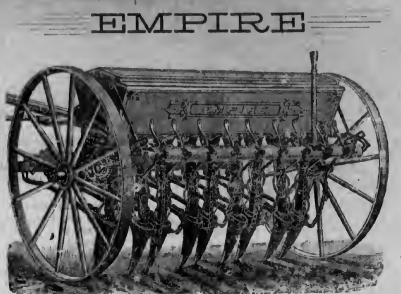
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